



The new **Cannibal Corpse** CD *Kill* is now out in stores. Longtime guitarist Jack Owen left the band after 2004's *The Wretched Spawn* came out. Original guitarist Jeremy Turner filled in for the band during their remaining tours. Then, Rob Barrett, who played on Cannibal's infamous albums *The Bleeding* and *Vile*, rejoined the band as a full-time member. *Kill* was produced by Erik Rutan (member of Hate Eternal/formerly of Morbid Angel) at Mana Studios in St. Pete's, Florida.

In hair-metal news, **Poison** have released a DVD titled *Seven Days Live* which captures the band at the height of their success, with a full live show recorded in London in 1993. Do you even remember what you were doing then? I know I was definitely rocking out to Poison and smoking Marlboro Reds, while wearing spandex. Oh yes, I wore spandex. The DVD is available now.

**Stone Sour** recently issued a studio update. Original drummer, Joel Ekman is no longer going to be part of the band. On that note, the band said, "This is something that we all discussed and feel is best for the five of us and for the future of Stone Sour. This has been the most intense recording process of our career and the next year of touring will be equally, if not more, intense. Our world tour kicks off June 2nd in Germany and our goal is to play as many cities and countries as possible. We're in discussions with a few drummers now and will let you know who that person will be as soon as we come to a decision." The band's new album *Come What May* is hitting stores on July

18.

**Unearth** have unveiled the title of their forthcoming sophomore release for Metal Blade Records. Titled *III: In The Eyes Of Fire*, it is their third career album. "III: In The Eyes Of Fire is our angriest, darkest, fastest and heaviest record to date. The title is a reflection of a couple different things for us. For starters, it puts us in the place of our current worldly events. The title also represents the personal struggles we all face day to day and our constant battles to overcome adversity. We cannot fucking wait to show people what we have in store with this record," reports the band from the studio.

**The Sword** have recently surfaced in a major way on the metal scene. Their debut album *Age Of Winters* has been hailed as "the new classic-Black Sabbath platter you have been waiting forever for the old Sabs to make" by *Rolling Stone Magazine*. The Sword just passed through town last week, but if you missed them, their new music video for "Winter Wolves" recently premiered on *Headbangers Ball* and *Uranium*.

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